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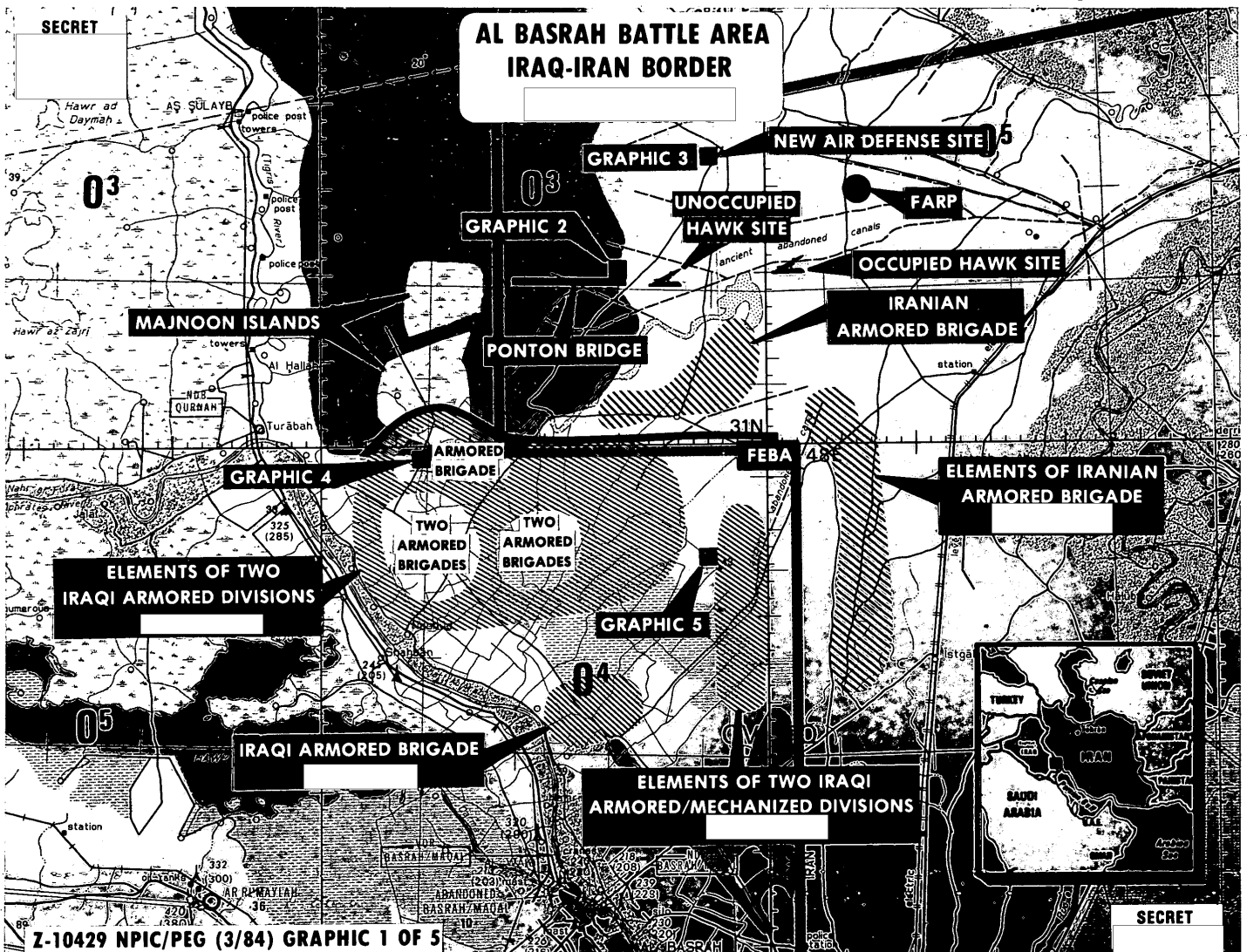
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AL BASRAH BATTLE AREA
IRAQ-IRAN BORDER

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1. **SIGNIFICANCE:** IRAQI AND IRANIAN FORCES REMAIN ENGAGED IN HEAVY FIGHTING IN THE MAJNOON ISLANDS AREA. IRANIAN FORCES ARE CURRENTLY MOVING ARMORED VEHICLES ACROSS THE HAWR AL HAWI2AH (MARSH) TOWARD THE ISLANDS. IRANIAN CONSTRUCTION CONTINUES ON THE PONTON BRIDGE, PARALLEL CAUSEWAY, AND DEFENSES NORTH OF AL BASRAH INCLUDING A NEW AIR DEFENSE SITE. IRAQI FORCES REMAIN ESSENTIALLY UNCHANGED ALONG THE FORWARD EDGE OF THE BATTLE AREA (FEBA) (GRAPHIC 1). (SWN)

2. **REMARKS:**

IRANIAN FORCES IN THE MAJNOON ISLANDS AREA --

IRANIAN INFANTRY FORCES APPEAR TO HAVE WITHDRAWN AT LEAST 0.6 NM NORTH OF THE PREVIOUS FEBA ON THE SOUTHERN ISLAND [REDACTED] 25X1
[REDACTED] NO IRANIAN ARMOR OR ARTILLERY HAVE REACHED THE 25X1
ISLANDS. AT LEAST THREE SMALL BUILDINGS NEAR THE CENTER OF THE SOUTHERN ISLAND HAVE BEEN DESTROYED BY ARTILLERY AND NUMEROUS NEW ARTILLERY CRATERS ARE THROUGHOUT THE AREA. THE IRANIANS ARE IN THE PROCESS OF REINFORCING THE NORTHERN ISLAND WITH ARMOR. ONE TANK, THREE TRUCKS, AND ONE POSSIBLE ARTILLERY PIECE ARE ON FERRIES NEAR THE EASTERN EDGE OF THE NORTHERN ISLAND. FOUR TANKS ON FERRIES AND TWO POSSIBLE M-113 ARMORED PERSONNEL CARRIERS IN THE WATER ARE EN ROUTE TO THE ISLAND FROM THE MAINLAND. FIVE ADDITIONAL ARMORED VEHICLES AND TWO TRUCKS ARE ON FERRIES AT THE EASTERN EDGE OF THE MARSH (GRAPHIC 2). NUMEROUS SMALL CRAFT CONTINUE TO OPERATE IN SUPPORT OF BRIDGE CONSTRUCTION, EQUIPMENT TRANSFER, AND COMBAT OPERATIONS. NUMEROUS TROOP/EQUIPMENT TRANSFERS BY AIR CUSHION VEHICLE (ACV) HAVE PROBABLY TAKEN PLACE AT THE NORTHEAST END OF THE NORTHERN ISLAND. A HIGH LEVEL OF CONSTRUCTION ACTIVITY IS CONTINUING ON THE PONTON BRIDGE AND THE CAUSEWAY ACROSS THE MARSH. THE BRIDGE HAS BEEN EXTENDED AT LEAST 1 NM WESTWARD [REDACTED] 25X1
AND IS APPROXIMATELY 1.3 NM FROM THE NORTHERN MAJNOON ISLAND. NUMEROUS TRUCKS ARE ON THE PONTON BRIDGE AND THE CAUSEWAY. AN ACV IS DEAD IN THE WATER NEAR THE MIDPOINT OF THE PONTON BRIDGE. (SWN)

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IN THE IRANIAN REAR --

AN AIR DEFENSE SITE IS IN THE LATE STAGES OF CONSTRUCTION IN THE VICINITY OF 31-17N 047-56E (GRAPHIC 3). THE PERIMETER WAS UNDER CONSTRUCTION [REDACTED] THE FORWARD AIR RESUPPLY POINT (FARP) AT 31-15N 048-06E IS ESSENTIALLY UNCHANGED SINCE 10 MARCH. AIR ORDER-OF-BATTLE INCLUDES FIVE CH-47, ONE POSSIBLE SEA KING, AND 25 (ONE IN FLIGHT) UH-1-TYPE HELICOPTERS. THE NEW HAWK SITE AT 31-09-36N 047-53-14E REMAINS UNOCCUPIED. THE HAWK SITE IN THE VICINITY OF 31-10N 048-01E IS STILL OCCUPIED. TWO PROBABLE WELLINGTON ACV ARE BEACHED ON THE EASTERN EDGE OF THE MARSH JUST NORTH OF THE HAWK SITE. (SWN)

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IRAQI FORCES IN THE MAJNOON ISLANDS AREA --

ELEMENTS OF THE IRAQI ARMORED BRIGADE WHICH HAVE ADVANCED APPROXIMATELY 0.6 NM NORTH [REDACTED] INCLUDE AT LEAST ONE ARMORED BATTALION (BN), ONE MECHANIZED BN, AND NUMEROUS INFANTRY UNITS. REVETMENTS FOR ARMORED VEHICLES ARE CURRENTLY UNDER CONSTRUCTION (GRAPHIC 4). MINOR REPOSITIONING OF IRAQI FORCES IS OBSERVED SOUTHWEST OF THE ISLANDS. AT LEAST ONE ARMORED BN IN THE VICINITY OF 31-00N 047-45E MAY BE MOVING NORTHWARD TOWARD THE ISLAND AND HEAVY-LIFT TRANSPORT ACTIVITY IS EVIDENT. ADDITIONAL SIGNIFICANT ACTIVITY INCLUDES THE DEPLOYMENT OF FOUR TACTICAL BRIDGES ACROSS THE CANAL FROM THE MAINLAND TO THE SOUTHERN ISLAND [REDACTED] THE SECTION OF THE EAST/WEST FEBA IMAGED REMAINS ESSENTIALLY UNCHANGED [REDACTED] SOUTH OF THE EAST/WEST CANAL, ELEMENTS OF AT LEAST ONE ARMORED/MECHANIZED INFANTRY BN HAVE ADVANCED IN THE VICINITY OF 30-58N 047-54E WITH ONE ARMORED COMPANY DEPLOYED DIRECTLY SOUTH OF THE LEVEE. ONE SELF-PROPELLED ARTILLERY BN HAS ARRIVED IN THE VICINITY OF 30-53N 047-56E (GRAPHIC 5), AND TWO PROBABLE SELF-PROPELLED ARTILLERY BN HAVE DEPARTED THE VICINITY OF 30-54N 047-46E. NO OTHER SIGNIFICANT CHANGE IN THE DISPOSITION OF IRAQI FORCES SOUTH OF THE EAST/WEST FEBA IS OBSERVED. (SWN)

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